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## INFORMATION REPORT

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1. On 15 December 1952 residents of Sangdo-myŏn (N 37-53, E 126-33) (BS-8595) were ordered to evacuate that area. Chinese Communist army trucks were mobilized to aid the evacuation which took place at night. Residents moved to locations about 160 kilometers north.<sup>1</sup>

2. [REDACTED] a Chinese Communist army tank unit was moving at night in the Sangdo-myŏn, Taesong-myŏn (N37-50, E 126-31) (BS-8190) and Kwangdong-myŏn (N 37-53, E 126-30) (BS-8095) areas.<sup>2</sup>

1. [REDACTED] Comment. [REDACTED] reported North Korean orders to evacuate Taesong (N 37-50, E 126-33) (BT-8505) civilians in early December 1952.

2. [REDACTED] Comment. The direction and size of the movement was not stated.

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